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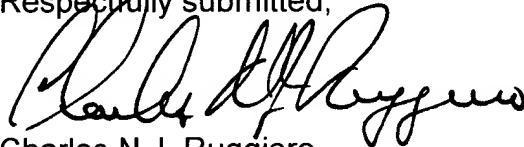
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	6076070	6/13/2000	Stack Charles	705	20	
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	WO 00/21006	13.04.2000	PCT			x	
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	European Search Report from corresponding EP 01955075.2 Dated December 9, 2004

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